

ALEXANDRIA.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JULY 20.

THE DEATH of R. M. T. Hunter removes another one of the Virginians who took prominent parts in their State's affairs before and during the civil war. The number of these men is now so small that the death of any one of them makes a noticeable reduction in their ranks, but the death of none will be more noticed, or revive more memories of the times in which he was a prominent actor, than that of Mr. Hunter, who was the Senator from Virginia when the U. S. Senate was composed of the brains, and not of the money, of the country, and who, when his State became a part of the Southern Confederacy, was the able Secretary of State of that short lived nation.

REV. J. BENSON HAMILTON, pastor of the Cornell Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church, New York City, to whose common sense views on the color line question the GAZETTE has heretofore referred, says:

"What is the unvarying custom of the Christianity of the North? It is separation by the color line. In every community of any size the blacks are permitted or forced, to worship alone; they have shabby, dingy, chapels for the most part, and live at a poor They could be accommodated dying rate. in our large, beautiful and prosperous churches with ease to us and great profit to Why do we draw the calor line? Is it not because the knowledge is universal that the abolition of the color line and the introduction of the negroes among us, so as to make our schools and churches really mixed, would destroy any church attempt

Such plain common sense expressions are becoming decidedly less unusual in the North than formerly; but, for all that, the republican writers and speakers of that section continue to denounce the South for the maintenance of the color line, and, still more remakable, Bishop Dudley, of Kentucky, and the bishop and a majority of the clergy of the Episcopal Church of South Carolina, are in favor of the abolition of that line in church affairs. They and all who agree with them on this subject should read the pamphlet Rev. Mr. Hamilton has recently published entitled: "Common Sense on the Color Problem."

WHY THE G. A. R. should be so unanimondy opposed to President Cleveland is one of the puzzles of the age. It has been known ever since the commencement of the President's administration, that no member of the organization referred to, in office, could be removed, even though incompetent. and though the work assigned him may have been completed. It is also known that in some, if not in all, the departments, promotions from certain grades are restricted to members of the G. A. R.; recent investi gations show that there are more members of the order in federal office now than ever before, and the rolls of the pension bureau prove that every member of the order really entitled to a pension, and thousands who are not, are in receipt of pensions. And still more: with the insults and indignities the G. A. R. offered him, yet fresh, he continues to speak of that organization not only in the most complimentary, but in the kindest terms; thus really returning good for evil. But, for all this, and all of it as plain to themselves as it is to every body else, with a few inconsiderable exceptions, every G. A. R. post in the country is opposed to the President and will do all in its power to defeat him if he be a candidate for re election next year. The few ex Confederates to whom the President has shown favors, on the contrary are profuse in their expressions of gratitude, and to a man advocate and will support his

NOTHING IS plainer than the fact that the intelligent people of Virginia are sick and tired of the long existing unsettled condition of their State debt, and of the continuance of the injurious effect that condition is havis any thing plainer than the other fact, that any attempt to suppress a declaration of tentiment on the subject of the debt by the State democratic convention, will be proof ing upon every interest in their State. Nor State democratic convention, will be proof not known there. of a degree of timidity and time serving that will ill comport with the confidence necesrary to success in the subsequent campaign. As, from the nature of the case, the necessary declaration cannot be in favor of repudiation, and as the decisions of the U.S. Supreme Court have rendered the Riddleberger bill of no effect, the declaration referred to must be more satisfactory to the creditors than that bill; and that such an one would redound not only to the interests of the State, but to those of the democratic party, many of the wisest men in the party are firmly convinced.

THE STRIKE of the engineers and firemen on the Brooklyn elevated railroad, and that of the employees of the Delaware iron works have both failed. The wages they were receiving were so lucrative that hundreds of unemployed men were anxious to dry dock and other extensive improvements get them by obtaining the strikers' vacant places. With thousands of untarified immigrants arriving at New York every week, and often every day, all active com- er fast line of steamers to run between that petitors of American laborers, it is not at port and Liverpool. all surprising that strikes should fail in that city, where the prevailing wages to such immigrants seem almost fabulous.

AN ASSEMBLY of knights of labor in Milwaukee having fifteen hundred members the occasion of some comment among the has secoded from the order on account of its | D.strict people. temperance rules. But the members of this | Intelligence has been received at the State floor immediately expired.

assembly are not consistent. They would Department here to the effect that the Belrestrict the liberty of an employer to conduct his own business as he may think and that after the first of next year no meat will be permitted to enproper, but will not submit to the restriction ter Belgium except with the lungs of the imposed by others in matters relating to their own personal liberty.

SINCE IT has been discovered that Stanley stole all his company's money and deserted the Confederate army, most people of experience will be disposed to take the part of Du Chaillu on the numerous questions of thorough consideration. veracity that have arisen between these two African explorers, for nothing is better known than the fact that a thief will not hesitate at falsehood.

FROM WASHINGTON. Special Correspondence of the Alexa, GAZETTE] WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20, 1887. The Petersburg Index-Appeal, published at the home of ex Senator Mahone, chairman of the republican State committee, having lately printed a statement to the effect that Hon, John S. Barbour, chairman of the democratic State committee, was in open hostility to the administration of President Cleveland, the GAZETTE's correspondent to-day gives the news and the truth pertaining to this mischievous matter. The editor of the paper referred to being neither a humorist nor a Baron Munchausen, it is regarded as wonderful that such a publication should have appeared in the columns of his able independent journal. The simple answer to the statement is that it is not correct. Chairman John S. Barbour's relations with the Cleveland administration are of the most friendly nature. He, John W. Daniel, and all the other leaders of the democratic party have from time to time complained of the slowgoing methods of the Departments of Government in turning unworthy republi cans out and putting deserving democrats in their places. But such complaints, which have been common with all the democratic leaders, have never been carried by any of them beyond the point of friendly admonition on the one hand or energetic perseverance on the other in the pursuit of official patronage properly belonging to democrats. John S. Barbour is to-day the sole Virginian, and probably the sole Southerner, whom Samuel J. Tilden advised President-elect Grover Cleveland to take into his Cabinet. President Cleveland re members and Jao, S. Barbour is not without information that this great honor was paid to him, the redeemer of Virginia democracy, by the dying sage of Greystone. This compliment was far richer than the office which Jno. S. Barbour neither sought nor would at the time have accepted. As the head of the Virginia delegation at Chicago his support of Mr. Cleveland's nomination was felt in a powerful degree on all the Southern representatives. The conqueror of Mahone was not without influence at that great gathering of national democrats. After the nomination came an arduous and hard-fought campaign, but Barbour held the State to Cleveland, although the vote for Blaine was bigger by more than twentyfive thousand than that which a year before had been cast for the defeated democratic candidate for Governor. A little later, and John S. Barbour, at the

one, and remembering Col. Cameron's edit-The Virginia democratic association of this city has determined not to meet again until the 26th proximo. After that date it will resume its regular weekly meetings, and work unremittingly for the election of a democratic legislature in Virginia next fall.

A South Carolinan has been appointed Chief Clerk of the Patent Office, vice Mr.

The close of the term, in 1817, a thanhalm vote of thanks. He favored the election of James K. Polk, and supported his policy with regard to Texas and the tariff. The warehousing system which was Duryee, removed. Mr. Duryee, though an

State convention which made Lee Govern-

or, favored and assisted in the adoption of

resolutions endorsing the administration

As to official and public affairs in Virginia,

he is fully trusted and constantly advised

with by President Cleveland and cabinet.

All hands connected with the administra-

him as the prime organizer and leader of

the Virginia democratic forces. They have

premised him for the campaign this year

every legitimate assistance in their power,

and have a firm reliance on his ability to

add another victory to those already scored

for the democracy of old Virginia,

In respect of the report published in this

correspondence of ex-Governor Cameron's

editorial connection with the Index Appeal,

certainly nothing was farther from the cor-

tion of any unfriendliness whatsoever to

Mr. Aleck Shepherd, who has recently returned from Mexico where he has been working a silver mine is now being made with them. It was only a short time ago that the "Shepherd ring" were the most roundly abused men in the city.

People in the city to-day from the lower Potomac country, say the storm that swept over that section on Monday evening was of State of the Southern Confederacy from July, 1861, to February, 1862, and the most severe within the memory of the present generation. Some of the small buildings were unroofed, trees torn up by at Richmond from February 1862 to 1865. the roots, and the corn not only prostrated but broken off close to the ground, and consequently ruined. Near Matthias's Point the wind blew so hard that some of the colored people vacated their houses and ran to the woods for protection. At the light house there, large boards were blown from the platform, and at Upper Cedar Point light hannock. house, oars, indders and other things were blown out of the boats.

A gentlemon interested in the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad here to-day, says the at Newport News, the eastern terminus of that road, are in rapid progress of con-struction, and that Mr. Huntington is already negotiating for the purchase of anoth-It is said here that none of the staff of

the commander of the newly organized militia of the District of Columbia is from the South, or even an old resident of the District, but that most of them are office holders here from the North. This fact is

animal attached.

Assistant Secretary Maynard to day gave a hearing to representatives of importers of Sumatra tobacco and of growers of domes question of the proper method of determining the dutiable value of Sumatra tobacco. Mr Maynard promised to give the matter

The Presidential party arrived here safe and ound this morning, apparently improved in health by their trip. The President was in his office soon after he reached the White House, busily engaged in his usual routine work.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

The Bristol Reporter records the death of a daughter of Attorney General Ayers. There were twelve deaths in Norfolk and Portsmouth from the recent intense heat.

Mr. John W. H. Porter, editor of the Portsmouth Enterprise, was overcome by heat yesterday while going to his office, but recovered.

Mr. Alexander McDonald Cowan, of Farmville, well known throughout the State as a journalist, died on Saturday last, aged sixty-eight. He was a native of Staunton. It is understood from a reliable source

that since the first day of January last upwards of \$110,000 in coupons have either been received into the State treasury or tendered in payment for liquor and other The democrats of Lynchburg in mass

meeting the other night unanimously adopted a resolution inviting the President and Mrs. Cleveland to visit that city next October, either while going to or returning from Atlanta.

An effort is to be made to get other South ern States to contribute something annually to the Confederate Soldiers' Home at Richmond. There are now more applications for accommodation at this institution than can find quarters at the home.

Many owners of vineyards in Albemarle county speak of the grape crop as a total brother of Logan Belt, who was killed in failure already. It is true that the rot has attacked many large vineyards and that the disease is very virulent and spreading very rapidly, yet it is hardly as bad as a total

At the meeting of business men of Danville held yesterday to take steps to prosecute before the Inter-State Commerce Commission the charges of discrimination in freight charges by the Richmond and Danville Railroad against that city, Colonel Ca bell was authorized to go to Washington to protect Danville's interest if necessary.

Monday night a colored boy and girl, children of Frank Edwards, a fisherman, who lives on the Ocean View property about eight miles from Norfolk, were drown ed while bathing, having, it is supposed gotten beyond their depth. The first intimution of the disaster was the finding of their bodies, which were washed ashore not far from the hotel.

A terrific cyclone passed over part of Stafford county on Monday evening. The damage done, however, was principally confined to Marlboro' farm, the property of Mr. Henry Edwards, on the Potomac river. Scarcely a tree is left standing on the place. Stacks of wheat were blown away, and a field of 250 acres of corn is cut down as if mowed by a scythe. The boathouse containing the fishing outfit of Capt. James M. Ewing, of Havre de Grace, was blown into the river. His loss will be heavy.

At a meeting of the directors of the ginia Construction Company, held in Richmond yesterday, arrangements were made for pushing ahead the construction of the road from Memphis to Jackson. The officers elected were : J. B. Pace, president ; T. C. Leake, jr., vice-president and general manager; E. D. Christian, second vice president; R. H. Temple, chief engineer; S. B. Snead, secretary, and Paul L. Jones, treas-A contract was directed to be made urer. with the Tennessee Midland Railway Company for the construction of its road, 135 miles, to be completed from Memphis to Jackson by January next, and to Tennessee tion, from the President down, recognize river by next spring.

Death of Hon. R. M. T. Hunter.

Hon. R. M. T. Hunter died at his home, Fount Hill, Essex county, on Sunday last.

born in Essex county, April 21, 1809. He gradituated at the University of Virginia, studied law, and commenced its practice in chosen representative to Congress in that journal. The rumor was an interesting His first speech in that body was in favor of the Independent Treasury and against a career was an able advocate of free trade. In 1839 he was chosen Speaker of the House of Representatives, and for his dignified and impartial discharge of its duties received at the close of the term, in 1841, a unanimous first incorporated in the Tariff bill was orithe admission of Kansas under the Lecompton Constitution in 1858. In 1860 Mr. Hunquite a lion of here. Times change and men ter was a prominent candidate for the democratic nomination to the Presidency, and at was one of the two Senators who represent-He was also a member of the peace commission which met Abraham Lincoln in Hampton Roads. In 1875 he was elected State Treasurer to succeed: Joseph Mayo, ir. Upon retiring from this office he returned to

ELEVATOR BURNED .- The St. Anthony elevator, one of the largest in the northwest. located two miles from Minneapolis, Minn., caught fire at 7:30 vesterday evening. The elevator was a triple structure, connected by a tramway, and had a capacity of 2,700,000 bushels. The buildings were all destroyed bushels. \$825,000. The insurance on the wheat is

Mr. Wm. Southgate, an aged citizen and formerly cashier of the Bank of Virginia, at Norfolk, was overcome by heat yesterday



TO-DAY'S TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

A Desperate Murderer.

OIL CITY, Pa., July 20 - Shortly before 12 o'clock last night John McNierney, a laborer, beat his wife to death, fatally shot his son John, aged 21 years, for interfering in behalf of his mother, and then shot Officer James, who tried to arrest him, in the groin, inflicting a fatal wound. Officers Warden and Henderson then came to the assistance of James and soon brought the desperate man down with a shot through his back. After disarming bim the officers entered the house where a sickening sight met their gaze. Mrs. McNierney was found in one corner of the room dead, her face and head completely smashed to a jelly, the room bespattered with blood and brains, supposed to have been inflicted with a shot gun stock. Physicians were speedily upon the spot, and upon examination of Officer James' and young McNierney's wounds prenounced them fatal. The wound of McNierney, sr., is not necessarily fatal. There was no witness to the affair except the son, who is unable to speak. McNierney is said to have been intoxicated at the time, and from all that can be learned was abusing his wife, when the son went to her assistance.

Assassinated.

CAVE-IN-ROCK, HARDIN Co., Ill., July 20. -James D. Belt, while riding along the road on borseback Sunday evening about five miles from this place, was assassinated by unknown persons, nine buckshot being fired into his head. Belt was a halfthe same manner and near the same place on the evening of June 7. Logan Belt was a man of wealth, but a notorious character and the leader of a faction in Hardin county somewhat similar to that existing in two or three Kentucky counties, the opposing faction being known as the Oldham party. Whether James Belt was connected with either is not stated, but there is a suspicion that be was killed by some of the Oldham faction. Logan Belt killed one of the Oldhams ten years ago in a broil at the latter's house, and ever since then a bitter enmity has existed between their relatives and friends which seems now to have culminated in the killing of both the Belts. The whole community is much excited over the double event.

Hail and Cyclone.

WABASH, Ind., July 20.-A gentine hail cyclone passed through the northern part of the county yesterday, doing an immense amount of damage. The storm came from the west through Miami county and crossed the Lake Erie and Western railway at a point between Denver and Peru. Its path through this county was from two to three miles and in that space no vegetation escaped. The bail was phenomenal every way. The stones were of the size of hen eggs and could be gathered up by the bushe after the storm. A great number of fine

forest trees were broken off and piled up in an interminable mass. Not a field of grain escaped destruction in the pathway of the storm. The corn was riddled and stripped of the ears and silk. Oats were threshed out and the stalks driven loto the earth. Apples, melons, grapes and all small fruits and vegetables were cut to pieces and nothing can be saved.

A Novel Sight.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 20.-A novel sight was witnessed here yesterday as the L. W. Corbett, Smoot, Strider, Bayne, Germond He had been in failing health for some time result of the high temperature of the past and Kelley. and his death was not altogether unexpect- three weeks. Some time ago a firm reed, though it will be none the less lamented. ceived a consignment of eggs packed in Robert Mercer Taliaferro Hunter was boxes after the usual manner. The eggs were placed in storage, and yesterday morn ing the consignee had occasion to open the his native county in 1830. He voted for case. When the lid was removed the low respondent's intention than the manifesta-lies of any unfriendliness whatsoever to Legislature of Virginia in 1833. He was entire layer of eggs was found to be hatchcall of chicks sounded in his ears. One ing out and in a few minutes after the eggs were brought to the light fifteen well devel one, and remembering Col. Cameron's editation of the paper in past years, was noted simply as a report, and for what it might be simply as a report, and for what it might be policy of Mr. Clay, and in all his subsequent policy of Mr. Clay, and in all h though the entire consignment will hatch.

A Bank Vice-President in Jail. DAYTON, Ohio, July 20 -E. L. Harper, vice-president of the Fidelity National Bank of Cincinnati was brought here at ten o'clock last evening. Harper came in charge of Deputy U.S. Marshal Costello, be subject to prison rules and strictly held in jail ward No. 2, and will be locked up at 5 p. m. in a steel cell and in the day time be the dissolved.

Bernard McCann. third, Jackson Beach; fourth Thomas Hayes.

The election of Inspector of Oysters, Board of Health, Keeper of Alms House and Overseer of Poor was postponed, and the joint convention then dissolved. Douglas Kansas-Nebraska bill in 1854, and prisoner and three noted thieves. He will the convention at Charlestion received on allowed the range of the cerridor of that several ballots the next highest vote to ward only. Mrs. Harper, child and rest of her party are at the Phillips House across DOR RENT. the street from the jail.

Charged with Infanticide.

Moncron, N. B., July 20 .- An unmarried woman named Ross, mother of three children, all of whom are now dead, has been arrested at Caraquet, charged with infanticide. She forced a spoon down the throat short time collector of the port at Tappahannock.

Old Her child, and when an attempt was part rehannock.

BROWN'S IRON BITTERS, Ayer's Cherry Pechannock. made to extricate it it of oat. The infant tre for sale by oct21 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. now suspected that the woman made away MENCING WIRE—We have now a full stock of with her other two children and a way with her other two children, who died a short time ago.

France and Prince Perdinand.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 20.-France will with their contents, about 1,100,000 bushels not acknowledge Prince Ferdinand of Saxeof wheat. The loss on buildings and ma- Coburg Gotha as ruler of Bulgaria because chinery is about \$250,000; loss on grain, Roumelians were permitted to vote in the Sobranje for his election.

Russian Negotiations. BOMBAY, July 20.-Natives report that

Russia is secretly negotiating with the gov morning at his residence, and falling to the ernor of Yarkand, in Chinese Turkestan, for permission to pass troops across the country.

A Big Fire Near Jersey City. JERSEY CITY, N. J., July 20 .- A fire started in the Standard oil works at Contable Hook at half-past twelve last night. The flames spread, and half of the from 3 to 5 per cent. A fair business was transtown, including all the factories, was acted in Richmond and West Point, but most threatened. The fire at 10 a. m. was under control. The lost is estimated at about firm in the early dealings and a general advance \$1,500,000, ten thousand barrels of oil hav- of from 1/8 to 1/2 per cent. was made. There was a ing been destroyed.

Assaulted and Robbed.

HALIFAX, N. S., July 20 .- While postmaster Burgoyne, of Mahone Bay, was making change for a stranger this morning ey easy at 4a5. the latter knocked him senseless with a club. The stranger then seized a cash box containing \$300, and escaped. Mr. Burgoyne will probably die.

Fatal Accident.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., July 20 .- Andrew Williams and Robert West were killed and Robert Williams, brother of the first named, fatally injured by a tree falling on their buggy yesterday afternoon fifteen miles south of here as they were returning from a funeral.

Tax Bill Passed.

ATLANTA, Ga., July 20.-The bill taxing wine rooms ten thousand dollars passed the House to day by the requisite majority. It is thought that the Senate will pass it also.

Strike.

LITCHFIELD, Ill., July 20 .- Five hundred employes of the Litchfield car and machine works struck yesterday for a fortnightly instead of a monthly pay day.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The royal assent was given in the British House of Lords yesterday to the Irish Crimes act.

Queen Kapiolani and the remainder of the Hawaiian royal party sailed from San Fran-cisco yesterday on the steamship Australia for Honolulu.

Justice Field, of the U.S. Supreme Court, decides that Mrs. Langtry must appear in court in person in San Francisco if she deires to perfect her citizenship. Her former declaration was made at her residence.

In a number of parliamentary contests vesterday the Gladstonians made gains. The differences between the liberal unionists and the conservatives regarding the land bill have, according to Lord Salisbury, been atisfactorily adjusted.

During a heavy thunder storm which assed over portions of Prince Anne county Md., vesterday, lightning struck the house of James Ent, at the head of Wicomico Creek, killing Mrs. Ent and Dr. Wolverton instantly, and stunning Mr. Ent. verton was a resident of New Jersey, and was on a visit to Mr. Ent.

Some agitation exists among the negroeat Atlanta, Ga., over a slight to the colored eachers by the management of the Peabody All the colored teachers failed to Institute. attend, although Gov. Gordon was present to deliver the opening address. The negroes School Commissioner Orr, but now realize their mistake, and all will go smoothly as Hay..... Cut do Wheat Bran P ton P car.. Brown Middlings White Middlings

OFFICIAL.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

At an adjourned meeting of the Beard of Al dermen held July 19, 1887, there were present: Henry Strauss, esq., President, and Messrs, Agnew, Burke, Lambdin, Marbury, Bryant and Leadbeater.

A communication from the Mayor in response on a resolution of Council asking him for a report fany charges made against any member of the olice force, was received and read.

The board proceeded to the chamber of the common Council for the purpose of going into an lection for corporation officers, and upon their eturn adjourned.

JNO, J. JAMIESON, Clerk.

COMMON COUNCIL.

At a adjourned meeting of the Common Council of the city of Alexandria, held on the 19th day of July, 1887, there were present: John T. Sweeney, esq., President, and Messrs. W. S. Moore, Aitcheson, Snowden, Clarence Moore, Fisher, Gronau, Whiting, F. E. Corbett, Hinken, A communication from the Mayor in response

to an inquiry of the City Council with reference to the standing of the individual members of the police force was received from the Board of Aldermen and their action thereon concurred in. On motion the Board of Aldermen were invited to meet this board in joint convention for the purpose of electing city officers, and the invita tion being accepted and the two boards being in oint convention assembled, the following persons aving received a majority of the votes of the oint convention were declared elected to the of-

fices hereinsfter respectively named, to wit:
Weigher of Hay—DeW. Altcheson.
Keeper of Town Clock—K. M. Lathsm.
Physicians to the Poor—Drs. C. W. Birdsall, W.
G. Ashby, M. W. O'Brien and T. M. Jones.

Health Officer-Dr. C. W. Birdsall, Chief Engineer of Fire Department-J. Carlin Fire Wardens-1st ward, B. Wheat: 2d ward,

John Harlow; 3d, ward, J. H. D. Smoot, and 4th ward, George E. French. card, George E. French.
City Surveyor—Cornelius Cox.
Dispenser of Medicines—James Entwisle, jr.
Steward of Offices—John C. Nightingill.
Captain of Police—James F. Webster.

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Lieutenant of Police—James Smith.
Policemen—James McCuen, Wm. H. Price, W.
C. Brenner, Samuel Ticer, Rollo Henry, Patrick
Hayes, Wm. H. Bontz, Wm. E. Grady, Stephen
Taylor, Joshua Sherwood, Jerry Franks, Edward
Keith Davis, George W. Jones, B. F. Bettice and

Gilbert Simpson.
Readymen—First, Banner T. Young; second,
Bernard McCann: third, Jackson Beach; fourth

The Board then adjourned. JAMES R. CATON, Clerk.

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greatest quantity for the least money of any pure
goods on the market. Don't fail to try it.
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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL

New York, July 20.-The stock market open ed very dull but strong this morning, first prices showing advances over yesterday's final figures of stocks were extremely dull. Prices continued marked decrease in the trading in the active stocks late in the hour and quotations yielded slightly. The market displayed no special feature and at 11 o'clock was very dull and barely steady, generally a shade above first prices. Mon

BALTIMORE, July 20,-Virginia 6s consolidated 461, past-due coupons 63; new 3; 633, 10-40; - bid to-day.

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Breakfast Bacon......
Sugar-cured Shoulders..... Bulk shoulders ... 0 81, 0 91, 0 71, 0 91, 0 91,

" lg. cl. sides...... " fat backs..... 86688 bellies..... Bacon Shoulders ... 0 74 @ 0 154 @ Lard Smoked Beef ... 434 514 534 Off A.......
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Sugar Syrups.

Clover Seed ... Timothy

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No. 3, medium...

No. 3, large fat...

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Hominy Chop Cotton Seed Meal (a 26 00 24 60 There are no features of interest to note in Flour; transactions are confined to the near wants of the local trade, and but few orders for round lots are recorded. The Wheat markets are very quiet and without material change; the best grades only are selected by millers and such samples are readily sold; there is also an improved demand for lots that would pass No. 2, but damaged, sweaty Wheats can only be sold at lower prices. Corn, Ryo and Oats are steady. Butter, Eggs, Potatoes and other produce are extremely

dull and hard to dispose of satisfactorily to sellers

BALTIMORE, July 20.-Cotton nominal; middling 10%; Flour quiet and steady; Howard street and Western super \$2,50a3.00; do extra \$3,15a3.75; do family \$4,00a4.50; City Mills super \$2,50a3.00; do extra \$3,25a3.75; do Rio bands \$4,50a4.75. brands \$4 50a4 75; Patapsco superlative patent \$5 30; do family \$5 00. Wheat—Southern steady; \$5 30; do family \$5 00. Wheat—Southern steady; red \$1a\$3; amber \$2a\$4; Western steady and quiet; No 2 winter winter red spot \$0\fo_1a\$1. July \$1\fo_14\$ asked; Aug \$11\gas13\gan3\gan13\ga Western packed 11a14; creamery 16a20. Figgs easy and quiet at 12a12½. Coffee nominally higher; Rio cargoes ordinary to fair 19½a20½. Sugar steady: A soft 5½. Whiskey quiet and steady at \$1 14a1 15.

CHICAGO, July 20, 11 a. m.—The Wheat ma. ket opened with a stronger feeling. August started at 71½ and immediately sold up to 71¼, then reacted slightly and is now quoted at 71 opened easier at 35%, and sold off to 37 and is now quoted at 38. Aug Oats 25%, short ribs \$7.80

NEW YORK, July 20.-Cotton steady; uplands 10 5-16; Orleans 10%; futures frm. Flour quiet and unchanged, Wheat unsettled and lower. Corn lower. Pork firm \$16 25a16 75. Old mess Pork firm at \$15 25a15 75. Lard steady at

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MEMORANDA. Brig L Staples, for this port, sailed from Boston Schr E E Johnson, for this port, sailed from

Sale of Land in ALEXANDRIA COUNTY. By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of

Alexandria county rendered in the chancery cause of Chas. H. Tinner and wife versus Samuel Hyson et als. on the 29th day of June, 1887, the undersigned will sell at public auction, in front of undersigned will sen at public acity, on the 20th day of August. 1887. (SATUEDAY), the REAL ESTATE of which Louisa Hyson died seized and possessed, bounded by Four mile run, the land of he late John Summers and the Alexandria counthe late John Summers and the areason a courty road, containing about four and one half acres.

Terms of Sale: One-third cash: the residue in six and twelve months, to be secured by notes of purchaser, with good personal security.

JOHN H. GREENE. Comm'rs.

of Alexandris county, do certify that John H.
Greene, commissioner of sale in the above cause, personally appeared before me and executed a bond in the penalty of \$400, as required by law.
Teste:

H. H. YOUNG, Clerk.

I Howard H. Young, Clerk of the Circuit Court

SAM'L. G. BRENT, | of Sale.

FOR RENT AND SALE. The THREE-STORY BRICK DWELLING, containing seven rooms, with gas, water and all the modern improvements, on the corner of Lee and

Wilkes streets, commanding a fine view of the river, is for rent. Also SEVERAL HOUSES and LOTS for sale. Enquire of jy: 0 1w JOHN T. HILL, 98 south Lee st.